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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Gary A. Reichle, *et al.*

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AMENDMENTS AND REMARKS IN RESPONSE TO
OFFICE ACTION DATED APRIL 7, 2005

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS:

In response to the Office Action dated April 7, 2005, having a shortened statutory period for response expiring July 7, 2005, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

No fees are believed to be due in association with this response.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this communication.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this communication.